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CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT

Mr. C. W. Axce General Manager BASF Wyandotte Corporation 1609 Biddle Avenue Wyandotte, Michigan 48192

Re: 80-73699 Consent Decree

Dear Mr. Axce:

This letter is written regarding the September and December 1987 sample results from the ground water monitoring wells at the Riverview site, received November 19, 1987 and February 5, 1988 respectively.

Pursuant to Section V.B.2 of the above referenced Consent Decree, BASF Wyandotte Corporation (BWC) is required to sample each of the monitor wells on a quarterly basis for the first three years following commencement of the sampling and analysis program. These samples are to be analyzed for the six parameters as given in Section V.B.4. Section V.B.6 provides the requirements for discontinuance of sampling of any well.

Notice is being given pursuant to Section VI of the above referenced Consent Decree, that monitor wells K, L, and M have not been sampled and the ground water analyzed for polychlorinated biphenyls (PCRs) as required in those Sections cited above.

BWC should remedy this situation with the March 1988 sampling and analysis period. Please respond to this letter within seven (7) days relating your intention to meet the requirements of the sampling and analysis program.

In addition, I would find it beneficial if a revised site map were to be provided indicating the locations of the three new monitor wells installed in September 1987, plus their elevations and coordinates.

Please do not hesitate to call me at (312) 886-4885 or Connie Puchalski at (312) 886-6620 should you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Bonnie L. Eleder Remedial Project Manager

cc: Leonard Lipinski, WDNR Connie Puchalski, ORC

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